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In accordance with their duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, applicants would like to direct the Examiner's attention to the documents which are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 (Exhibit 1) and attached hereto as Exhibits 2-13:

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- 1. Abbot, G.W. et al., "MiPR1 forms  $I_{kr}$  potassium channels with HERG and is associated with cardiac arrhythmia cell," Cell, (1999), 97(2):175-187; (Exhibit 2)
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- 11. Wainger, B.J. et al., "Molecular mechanism of cAMP modulation of HCN pacemaker channels," *Nature*, (2001), 411(6839):805-10. (Exhibit 12) and
- 12. Michael R. Rosen, et al., "A High Throughput Biological Heart Rate Monitor That is Molecularly Determined," U.S. Serial No. 09/875,392, filed June 6, 2001. (Exhibit 13).

Applicants have submitted only the abstracts for **Exhibits 6** and 10 listed above since the full articles were never published.

If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorneys invite the Examiner to telephone them at the number provided below.

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No fee, other than the enclosed fee of \$180.00 for a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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